



**FORM PTO-1449 TO BE FILED WITH
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

U.S. Department of Commerce
Patent and Trademark Office

Atty. Docket No. HON 1448-013C Serial No 10/601,379

**INFORMATION
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
BY APPLICANTS**

Carney, et al.

Applicant

June 23, 2003

3627

Filing Date

Group Art Unit

A. Rudy

Examiner's name

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initial	Document Number	Date	Name	Class/Sub-class
<u>ASR</u>	5,983,195	11/99	Fierro	705/10
<u>ASR</u>	5,974,395	10/99	Bellini, et al.	705/9
<u>ASR</u>	5,765,143	6/98	Sheldon, et al.	705/28
<u>ASR</u>	5,528,489	6/96	Asahara, et al.	364/402
<u>ASR</u>	5,278,750	1/94	Kaneko, et al.	364/401
<u>ASR</u>	4,958,292	9/90	Kaneko, et al.	364/468

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

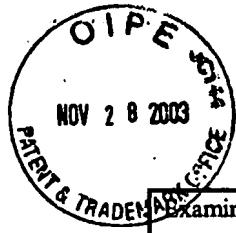
Examiner's Initial	Document Number	Date	Country/Name	Translation? yes/no

OTHER DOCUMENTS

1. None.

Andrew Joseph Rudy

September 29, 2007



NOV 28 2003

Examiner

Andrew Joseph Rody

Date Considered

September 29, 2007

Examiner: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

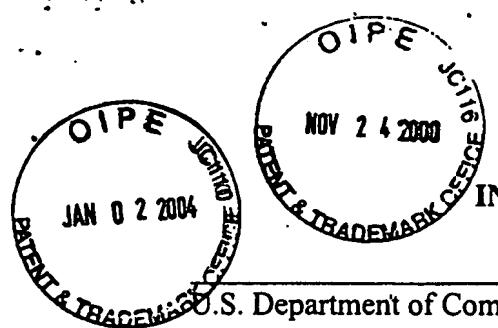
The identification of any document herein is not intended to be, and should not be understood as being, an admission that each such document, in fact, constitutes "prior art" within the meaning of applicable law since, for example, a given document may have a later effective date than at first seems apparent or the document may have an effective date which can be antedated. The "prior art" status of any document is a matter to be resolved during prosecution.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8 (A)

Date of Deposit: 11-26-03

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Anne Leasure



**FORM PTO-1449 TO BE FILED WITH
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

U.S. Department of Commerce
Patent and Trademark Office

Atty. Docket No. HON 1448-013 Serial No 09/632,683

**INFORMATION
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
BY APPLICANTS**

Carney, et al.

RECEIVED

Applicant

NOV 29 2000

August 7, 2000

3627

Filing Date

Group Art URHP 2100

A. Riedy

Examiner's name

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

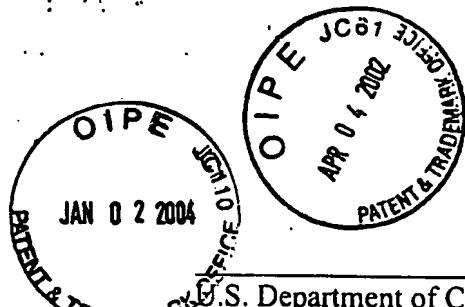
Examiner's Initial	Document Number	Date	Name	Class/Sub-class
<u>CBK</u>	<u>5,983,195</u>	<u>11/99</u>	<u>Fierro</u>	<u>705/10</u>
	<u>5,974,395</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>Bellini, et al.</u>	<u>705/9</u>
	<u>5,765,143</u>	<u>6/98</u>	<u>Sheldon, et al.</u>	<u>705/28</u>
	<u>5,528,489</u>	<u>6/96</u>	<u>Asahara, et al.</u>	<u>364/402</u>
	<u>5,278,750</u>	<u>1/94</u>	<u>Kaneko, et al.</u>	<u>364/401</u>
	<u>4,958,292</u>	<u>9/90</u>	<u>Kaneko, et al.</u>	<u>364/468</u>

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initial	Document Number	Date	Country/Name	Translation? yes/no

OTHER DOCUMENTS

1. None.



**FORM PTO-1449 TO BE FILED WITH
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

U.S. Department of Commerce
Patent and Trademark Office

Atty. Docket No. HON 1448-013 Serial No 09/632,683

**INFORMATION
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
BY APPLICANTS**

Carney, et al.

Applicant

August 7, 2000

Filing Date

RECEIVED

APR 08 2002

Group Art Unit Technology Center 2100

Examiner's name

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initial	Document Number	Date	Name	Class/Sub-class
CB ASR	5,850,446	12/98	Berger et al.	380/24
↑	5,923,552	7/99	Brown et al.	364/468.06
↓ ASR	5,983,194	11/99	Hogge et al.	705/7
	6,125,391	9/2000	Meltzer et al.	709/223

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initial	Document Number	Date	Country/Name	Translation? yes/no
CB ASR	WO 00/29999	5/00	PC	n/a

OTHER DOCUMENTS

- Asf CB*
1. Trebuchon, Maurice A., Logistics Meets the Enterprise, Material Handling and Engineering, Dec. 1998, v. 53, n. 13, pp; SCF6-SCF10.

Andrew Joseph Fuchs

September 29, 2007

2. Greene, James H., Production and Inventory Control Handbook, Third Edition, 3 April 1997, pp. 16.4, 18.34.
3. Frazier, Gregory V. et al., Applying Synchronous Manufacturing Concepts to Improve Production Performance in High-Tech Manufacturing, Production and Inventory Management Journal, 3rd Qtr. 000, v. 41, n. 3, pp. 60-65.
4. Plock, stew, The Internet, Java and the Auto Industry, Automotive Manufacturing and Production, January 1997, v. 109, n. 1, pp. 60-62.

Examiner	Philip Burcham	Date Considered	11/5/02
----------	----------------	-----------------	---------

Examiner: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

The identification of any document herein is not intended to be, and should not be understood as being, an admission that each such document, in fact, constitutes "prior art" within the meaning of applicable law since, for example, a given document may have a later effective date than at first seems apparent or the document may have an effective date which can be antedated. The "prior art" status of any document is a matter to be resolved during prosecution.